

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF NURSING

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IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSURE :
PROCEEDINGS

RE: DEANE A. ZIMMERMAN, CRNA, : **LETTER OF REPRIMAND**
License No. CR 000374, :
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TO: Deane A. Zimmerman
21397 Hillside Beach Road
Fergus Falls, MN 56537

The South Dakota Board of Nursing ("Board") met for its regular meeting in Sioux Falls, South Dakota on September 15, 2010. At this meeting, the Board was advised of your repeated failures to disclose a previous Letter of Reprimand issued by the North Dakota Board of Nursing in 1991 for practicing with a lapsed license. The South Dakota Board of Nursing on November 16, 2006, sent you a letter advising you that in subsequent application you would need to provide an affirmative answer to this type of disciplinary question. In both your April 24, 2008 and May 24, 2010 renewals, you failed to provide an affirmative response to the disciplinary question.

Based on the information provided to the Board, the Board has determined that your conduct is in violation of SDCL § 36-9-49(1), (7) and (10).

Therefore, the Board, according to the disciplinary procedures outlined in ARSD 20:48:08, issues this Letter of Reprimand.

This final action is reportable discipline and will be published in the Board's newsletter, posted on its website, and reported into the Healthcare Integrity and Protection Data Bank (HIPDB) and National Practitioner Data Bank (NPDB) as required by law. As this is a reportable discipline, you are required to provide an affirmative response to inquiries of disciplinary action on further renewals and other nursing related inquiries.

Dated this 28th day of September, 2010.

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Gloria Damgaard, Executive Director